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#### (U) CALIFORNIA

##### (U) Los Angeles – Police, FBI Thwart Man's Plan to Bomb Nazi Rally

(U) A terror plot by an Army veteran who converted to Islam and planned to bomb a white supremacist rally in Southern California as retribution for the New Zealand mosque attacks was thwarted, federal prosecutors said yesterday. Mark Domingo, 26, an infantryman who served a combat tour in Afghanistan, was arrested by federal agents Friday while finalizing plans to plant a bomb at a Nazi rally that had been scheduled Sunday in Long Beach. Domingo was arrested on a charge of providing material support to terrorists and a criminal complaint saying he had been planning since March to "manufacture and use a weapon of mass destruction in order to commit mass murder." Court papers show that Domingo discussed with an informant different types of attacks that included targeting Jews, churches and police officers. Domingo allegedly said he wanted revenge for attacks on mosques in New Zealand that killed 50 people last month.

SOURCE: 29 April 2019, [Associated Press](#)

##### (U) Sacramento – Man Arrested After Police Find Materials for Explosives in Home

(U) A man was arrested on Saturday after Sacramento police found precursor chemicals and equipment "consistent with devices used to make explosives" inside a Tahoe Park apartment, authorities said. David Wolpert, 35, was arrested on suspicion of "attempted possession of a weapon of mass destruction," according to the Sacramento Police Department. He was booked into the Sacramento County Main Jail with bail set at \$1 million.

SOURCE: 29 April 2019, [KCRA Sacramento](#)

#### (U) NATIONAL

##### (U) Georgia – CDC Finds 704 Cases of Measles Nationwide, Most in 25 Years

(U) Atlanta – For the third week in a row, health officials yesterday added dozens of new illness reports to this year's list of confirmed measles cases, bringing the total to 704 in 22 states — the highest number of reported cases in the US in a year since 1994. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention noted that the 33 additional cases, as of 26 April, are a result of ongoing outbreaks in New York and California. Last week new cases of measles reported in New York, New Jersey and California brought the total number of infections in the US to 695 — the most for a year since the disease was declared eliminated in 2000.

SOURCE: 29 April 2019, [NBC News](#)

##### (U) Tennessee – Two Sixth Graders Charged for School Shooting Plan

(U) Crossville – Two Sixth grade students in Tennessee have been charged for allegedly planning a school shooting, according to officials. The students allegedly plotted to bring weapons to the South Cumberland Elementary School in Crossville, Tennessee, to shoot their classmates and faculty on the last day of school, according to a joint press release by Cumberland County Schools, the Cumberland County Sheriff's Office and the Crossville Police Department. The school resource officer caught wind of a rumor about the existence of a "hit list" that contained the names of students to be shot, officials said.

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SOURCE: 29 April 2019, [ABC News](#)

**(U) INTERNATIONAL****(U) Burkina Faso – Six Killed in Church Attack**

(U) Ouagadougou – Six people, including a pastor, were killed in an attack on a Christian church in Burkina Faso, a government spokesman said. The violence took place Sunday in the village of Silgadji, in the country's north, not far from the volatile border with Mali. There was no immediate claim of responsibility.

SOURCE: 29 April 2019, [The New York Times](#)

**(U) Sri Lanka – US Believes Militants May Be Plotting More Attacks**

(U) Colombo – The United States believes members of the militant group blamed for Sri Lanka's Easter Sunday attacks may be at large and planning more assaults, the US ambassador to Sri Lanka said today. "We do believe that the terrorist threat is ongoing and there may be active plotters. Active members of the attack group that carried out the terror attacks on Easter Sunday may still be at large," Ambassador Alaina Teplitz told Reuters in an interview. "We certainly have reason to believe that the active attack group has not been fully rendered inactive. We do believe that there is active planning underway."

SOURCE: 30 April 2019, [Reuters](#)

**(U) Syria – ISIS Leader Appears in Video for First Time in Five Years**

(U) Ar-Raqqa – The leader of the Islamic State in Iraq and ash-Sham (ISIS) has appeared in a video released by the extremist group's propaganda arm for the first time in five years. The video released by Al-Furqan yesterday shows Abu Bakr al-Baghdadi appearing with a bushy grey and red beard, wearing a black robe with a beige vest and seated on the floor with what appears to be a machine gun propped up next to him. The SITE Intelligence group said al-Baghdadi acknowledged in the video the end of the battle in Baghouz, the group's last stronghold in Syria, and discussed the bombings in Sri Lanka that killed more than 250 people.

SOURCE: 29 April 2019, [Associated Press](#)

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